

## NOELL CHOSEN GRAND WARDEN

Grand Marshal of Odd-Fellows  
The Wins Out After Hot  
Fight.

### GREAT PILE OF BUSINESS YET

Grand Lodge Unable to Get  
Through With its Work.  
Will Meet To-day.

The second day's session of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., Virginia, convened yesterday morning at ten o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, with Grand Master Norman Ashby in the chair.

There was no contest for the office of grand master, and Mr. R. A. E. Chase, the deputy grand master, was elevated to that position. Likewise, the deputy grand master fell to the lot of Colonel C. C. Vaughan, the present grand warden.

Mr. T. Wiley Davis, of this city, was retained in office as grand secretary, and John W. Ferguson, also of this city, who has been grand treasurer of the Grand Lodge for over fifty years, was given his old post of honor without a dissenting voice.

Next in order was the election of grand warden, and for this office the fight was stubborn. Grand Guardian George H. Jones, of Spotsylvania county, who is a member of Richmond Lodge, No. 1; Grand Marshal J. C. Noel, of Lee county; A. M. Southall, of Danville, Captain George P. Squires, of Lancaster county, and J. T. Lynnes, of this city, were the candidates. The first ballot resulted in no election, with Grand Marshal Noel leading, followed by Grand Guardian Jones, close at his heels; Captain Squires, third; Southall, fourth, with Lynnes bringing up the rear. On the second ballot Lynnes was dropped, followed by Southall, which left the contest between Noel, Jones and Squires.

Before the seventh ballot was taken, Jones retired and left the field to Noel and Squires. The seventh ballot resulted in the election of Grand Marshal Noel, as the grand warden for the present year.

### Exciting Contest.

Members of the Grand Lodge, who have grown old in the cause, and who have witnessed some very exciting contests, admitted that this struggle for the honor of the grand warden, was the hottest they had ever seen on the floor of the grand body.

After the election of officers, Mrs. Acree, in charge of the orphans from the Odd Fellows' Home, at Lynchburg, together with the Rebekah assembly, entered the hall.

The children rendered a very pleasing programme of music and recitations, and received many rounds of applause from the audience. After the programme was completed, Mrs. Acree was taken for dinner.

### Afternoon Session.

The Grand Lodge reconvened at 2:30 o'clock, and at once proceeded to the election of representatives to the Sovereign Grand, which meets in Toronto, Canada, next September. Those chosen to represent Virginia were Past Grand Master W. D. Hill, of South Boston, Va., and Past Grand Master C. W. Morris, of Richmond.

Amendments were then offered to the constitution, setting forth the time when grand officers should be nominated and elected during the sessions of the Grand Lodge.

These amendments were laid over for one year, in order that they may be considered by the subordinate lodges.

After a spirited discussion as to where the home for the aged and infirm Odd Fellows and the widows of deceased members should be located, Lynchburg was voted, though Richmond made a strong fight for it.

### Not Decided Yet.

The invitation from the Jamestown Exposition and the lodges of Norfolk to hold the next session in Norfolk was referred to the Committee on Finance.

It was about 12 o'clock at this stage of the meeting. Manuscript was still on the desk, about a foot high, and the delegates felt hopelessly delayed with business.

Some one proposed adjournment until 4 o'clock this morning, and the motion was passed immediately.

About 150 delegates will be absent from this morning's session, as that number has already left for their homes, but enough are left to form a quorum. It is expected that all business will be completed by noon to-day.

Grand Secretary W. Wiley Davis was voted a trip to the Sovereign Grand

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Lodge, which will be held in Toronto,  
Canada in September.

### REBEKAH'S OFFICERS.

Miss Celia Kass, President; Mrs.

Whitmore, Vice-President.

The morning session of the Grand Lodge of Rebekahs was taken up with the election and appointment of officers and the evening session was occupied with their installation.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Celia Kass, of Richmond; Vice-President, Mrs. M. E. Whitmore, of Lynchburg; Warden, Mrs. M. E. Condit, of Clifton Forge; Secretary, Miss Lillian Roberts, of West Point; Treasurer, Mrs. Edmond Perkins, of Richmond.

All the other officers were then appointed by the chair, as follows: Chaplain, Mrs. Geneva Kennedy, of Station; Marshal, Mrs. Edmond S. Dull, of Staunton; Conductor, Mrs. Mattie G. Hinken, of Alexandria; Inside Guardian, Mrs. Daisy J. Jones, of Outside Guardian, Miss Maggie B. Amick, of Winchester.

Both the retiring president, Miss Anna Krause, and the incoming president, Mrs. Celia Kass, made interesting and helpful addresses.

### FURNITURE FIRE.

Loss of Twenty-five Thousand  
Dollars in Roanoke.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., May 9.—The large furniture establishment of Thomas Love & Co., on Campbell Avenue, was gutted by fire this evening. The fire was discovered about 7 o'clock, shortly after the proprietor and his clerks left the store, who was standing on the opposite side of the street. It was in the rear of the building and had made such progress before the firemen could reach it that they had difficulty in keeping it confined. Love & Co. occupied double stores, owned by J. R. Nichols, of Bedford, and the other by Dr. Reese, of Franklin county. Mr. Love estimates his loss at about \$25,000, on which he had \$15,000 insurance.

The buildings are fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

### CRUELTY TO COWS.

Roanoke College Students Fined  
for Hazing Dumb Animals.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., May 9.—At Salem yesterday a number of Roanoke College students, who had been arrested, charged with cruelty to dumb animals, were before Mayor W. T. Younger, with the result that C. E. Copenhaver and A. J. Mark were each fined \$5, while W. R. Patton was fined \$10 and costs and J. G. Turner \$25 and costs.

The college boys have lately been hazing cows by attaching tin cans to their tails and beating the animals. Copenhaver and Mark tied cans to a cow's tail and rushed her through a barbed-wire fence, cutting her badly. It is alleged that Patton and Turner beat a cow with planks until blood flowed from the nose. The citizens are indignant at the brutality, and Mayor Younger is determined to put a stop to it. Patton and Turner will take an appeal.

### FREIGHT COLLISION.

Conductor and Engineer of Southern Train Injured.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., May 9.—A Coast Line freight train ran into a Southern Railway freight train near Tunis Station, forty-seven miles from here, to-night. Conductor Schweberch and Engineer C. Chanters of the Coast Line train were injured. The Coast Line engine and two freight cars were also wrecked.

### VIRGINIA BRIEFS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM, VA., May 9.—Nine of the members of the Chatham bar have ordered ex-Oxenator Harvey, of Patrick county, for judge of this circuit.

MEHERRIN, VA.—Pross has fallen here to a small extent during the past two nights. No serious damage has been caused up to this time.

MINERAL, VA.—At a called meeting of the vestry of the Church of the incarnation E. W. Millard and "Jack" Cussons were elected delegate and alternate to the council to be held at Alexandria, Va., May 15th.

MONTROSS, VA.—There is a very severe form of measles prevalent throughout the county. A number of deaths have resulted and Mrs. Frank Sanford, near this place, who has been very ill, is left violently insane.

### ALUMNI BANQUET.

Former Students of Hampden-Sidney Entertain Trustees.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

It was a distinguished body of men that assembled at the Jefferson Hotel last night to renew the friendships of by-gone days at Hampden-Sidney College and pledge their support to their Alma Mater in the future.

Men of every profession sat down to enjoy a delightful repast, talking of the glorious past of this noble old institution, recalling the distinguished services of the honored sons that have gone forth from her hallowed walls to serve nobly in Virginia, but also every State and Territory of the Union.

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### Hold Joint Conference.

A joint general conference of the Brotherhood of the Order of Railway Conductors and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen of the Chesapeake and Ohio and Southern Railroads was held last night in Murphy's Hotel. They took measures to get the United States senators to defeat the bill now pending, which wants to prevent railroad companies giving passes to the families of their employees.

Every State, through which the two railroads run, were represented last night by delegates.

### Will Come Out All Right.

Messrs. D. N. Walker and Company, agents here for the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, announces that the losses to his concern in San Francisco are estimated at \$2,500,000, and that the company is fully able to pay them promptly, and will continue business with ample

## THE DRUG TRUST BEING ASSAILED

An Injunction Asked for to Pro-  
hibit Association from Main-  
taining Prices.

### CONSPIRE TO REGULATE PRICE

Evidence Shows a Conspiracy Be-  
tween All Concerned in  
the Matter.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9.—The Attorney-General to-day made public the following statement:

"The government has to-day filed in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Columbia a petition for an injunction against certain associations, corporations and individuals, comprising what is commonly known as the drug trust of the United States. The parties defendant specifically named in the bill have voluntarily combined together to control the prices at which proprietary medicines and drugs shall be sold to the consumer through the retail druggist in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

"The parties to the combination include the Proprietary Association of America, the National Wholesale Druggists' Association and the National Association of Retail Druggists.

"An injunction is prayed for, prohibiting these associations from acting in concert for the purpose of maintaining prices of the individuals, firms and corporations who are members of the respective associations from acting together for the purpose of maintaining uniform prices to the consumers throughout the United States.

"The bill charges in substance that these associations, their officers, delegates and members are all engaged in a common undertaking, to-wit, the business of manufacturing, buying and selling patent medicines and drugs and proprietary articles throughout the United States; that these associations and the members thereof have entered into a conspiracy to arbitrarily fix and regulate the price at which such articles shall be sold to the consumer, and that they have established rules and regulations to enforce such unlawful agreement by refusing the purchase and sale of such commodities to those members of the several associations who shall live up to and observe the rules and regulations thus arbitrarily prescribed by the respective associations.

"There is but one ultimate object of the conspiracy, viz., to fix the price which shall be observed by all retail druggists in selling the consumer the various commodities manufactured by the several members of the proprietary association. The plan by which such object is effected is in brief, as follows: No retail druggist can obtain goods from a wholesale druggist or a manufacturer except on a proprietary basis, unless such retail druggist becomes a member of the National Association of Retail Druggists, and in order to become such member he must agree to observe the established price at which such proprietary medicines shall be sold to the consumer.

"If such retail druggist, after becoming a member of the National Association of Retail Druggists, refuses to sell the price of such articles to the consumer, he is immediately placed upon the list of what is known as aggressive cutters, and thereafter such retail druggist is unable to obtain from any manufacturer who is a member of the proprietary association any of the proprietary medicines which he is a member of the Wholesale Druggists' Association, any of the commodities which may be manufactured and sold by them or any of them.

"Henry W. Loder, of Philadelphia, recently brought suit in the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania under section 7 of the Sherman anti-trust act, against these three associations.

"The plaintiff obtained a substantial verdict. The court pointed out that the evidence showed a conspiracy between several manufacturers of articles to wholesalers and a conspiracy among the wholesalers interested, and the members fix the price at which they were to sell to retailers, and a conspiracy among the retail dealers, inter se, and with the wholesalers and manufacturers, to fix the price at which they were to sell to the general public—that is, to the consumer."

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money to meet all demands. The statement of the Messrs. Walker, printed above, is counterbalanced by Edgar S. Wilson, manager of the southeast department, Macon, Ga.

### Will Give a Pound Party.

Mr. Eddie Dixon will give a pound party at East's Hall, corner of North and Vesey streets, to-morrow night, for the benefit of an invalid widow. Any person, not caring to attend, can contribute to the cause. A pleasant evening is promised to all who attend.

### OAKWOOD MEMORIAL.

Impressive Exercises to Be Held  
This Afternoon.

The Oakwood Memorial Association will have its annual exercises at the cemetery to-day.

The usual parade will be had and the oration of the day will be delivered by Governor Claude A. Swanson.

Governor Swanson, following the established custom for many years, issued an order yesterday closing the State offices at 12 o'clock to-day in order that opportunity may be given State officials to participate in the ceremonies incident to Oakwood Memorial Day.

### Retail Merchants To-night.

The Retail Merchants Association will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at their handsome new headquarters, No. 215 West Broad Street. Matters of much importance will come up and a large attendance is earnestly desired.

### Grove Avenue Residence.

Messrs. Sutton and Company will offer for sale this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock, No. 1307 Grove Avenue. This is a very desirable piece of property.

### OBITUARY.

#### J. Lee Mann.

Mr. J. Lee Mann, a well-known and popular citizen, who had resided in the West and for a number of years, died suddenly from heart failure at his residence yesterday morning at 2 o'clock. Mr. Mann, who was a contractor, had been in failing health for some time, but since a recent spell, which confined him to the house for several weeks, he had been able to drive around and was out of the city for a number of days. He was a member of Monacan Tribe of Red Men.

Mr. Mann leaves a widow, who was Mrs. Annie Hotze (nee Lowry); one son, Roy; two stepsons, Edward and P. J. Hotze; his mother, Mrs. A. J. Mann, of this city; and two daughters, C. B. Eldridge, of this city, and Mrs. W. R. Epps, of Salem.

His funeral will be held from Pine Street Baptist church to-day at 5 o'clock P. M. Interment in Hollywood Cemetery.

#### Michael L. Hogan.

Mr. Michael L. Hogan, son of Mrs. Julia and the late Mortimer Hogan, died at his mother's residence, No. 3017 Williamsburg Avenue, Wednesday morning, May 8th, at 6 o'clock. He was a promising young man and much beloved by his friends. He was a valued clerk of the firm of F. P. Patrick Young Company, and a member of the Knights of Columbus, Division No. 4, Ancient Order of Hibernians, St. Augustine and St. Patrick's clubs.

The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

#### Mr. J. Lee Mann.

Mr. J. Lee Mann, of 514-1-2 South Pine Street, died yesterday morning at the age of fifty-one years. The funeral will be from St. Patrick's church this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

#### Harry Wesley Rogers.

Harry Wesley Rogers, infant son of R. P. and E. G. Rogers, of 819 North Twenty-fifth Street, died yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. The funeral will be announced later.

#### Mrs. Austina Jenkins.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
WARSAW, VA., May 9.—Mrs. Austina Jenkins, wife of Mr. Carter Jenkins, of Ethel, Richmond county, died this afternoon at 2 o'clock of cancer of the stomach, aged about forty-five years. She survived by her husband and four children.

#### Jacob Vorous.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
MILLWOOD, VA., May 9.—Mr. Jacob W. Vorous, one of the most prominent citizens of Clarke county, and manager of the Berryville Horse and Colt Show, died at his residence, Chapel Hill, near Berryville, this morning at 5 o'clock, about fifty-eight years of age. Mr. Vorous had been in bad health for some months past. He is survived by his wife and several sons and daughters.

#### Elijah Hicks.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
WINCHESTER, VA., May 9.—Elijah Hicks, a leading Democrat politician and wealthy land owner of the western section of Frederick county, died last night at his home near Unger's Store, after a lingering illness, an eighty-seven years old. He was married and leaves six sons, four daughters, forty-five grandchildren and about twenty great-grandchildren.

#### Mrs. Susan Porth.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., May 9.—Mrs. Susan Porth, of Stafford county, died yesterday at her home near Hartwood, aged eighty-nine years. She is survived by eight children.

#### John J. Judd.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
LURAY, VA., May 9.—John J. Judd, a well-known citizen of this county, died last night at his home near Kimball, after a long illness, an eighty-seven years old. He was married and leaves six sons, four daughters, forty-five grandchildren and about twenty great-grandchildren.

#### DEATHS

ROGAN.—Died, May 9, 1906, S. A. M., MICHAEL L. son of Mrs. Julia Hogan, aged 51 years.

FUNERAL FRIDAY MORNING, 10 o'clock, from St. Patrick's church. Interment in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

MANN.—Died, at his residence, No. 514-1-2 South Pine Street, on Wednesday, May 9, 1906, at 2 o'clock A. M., J. LEE MANN, aged fifty-one years.

FUNERAL from Pine-Street Baptist church THURSDAY AFTERNOON, May 10, 1906, at 5 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

OLIVER.—Died, at 310 A. M., May 9th, ELDER ELIAB OLIVER, aged 72 years, of Mrs. Mary E. and the late John S. Oliver, in the twenty-fourth year of his age.

FUNERAL from 212 Washington Street at 5 P. M. TO-DAY (Thursday). Interment in River-View.

WAKEFIELD.—Died, Wednesday afternoon at 5:35, May 9, 1906, at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Emma Wakefield, 2200 W. 12th St., LARRY GILBY WAKEFIELD, aged twenty-five years and five days, son of the late Merrick Wakefield, after a lingering illness. He leaves a devoted wife and one child, mother, three sisters and three brothers to mourn their loss.

FUNERAL will take place from Union Station M. E. Church FRIDAY AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

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